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FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

of the

MONTANA HORSE RACING COMMISSION

to

THE GOVERNOR OF MONTANA

1969

The Montana Horse Racing Commission
following period of 1969
through December 31, 1969.
Law of Montana 1969.

One Capital City Fair
North Dakota State Fair

Old Fadedwood County Fair
Capital City Horse Show
Spring Fair, Spring
Central Montana Fair, Great Falls
State Fair, Great Falls

Billings County Fair
Northeast Montana Fair
Bozeman County Fair
Northwest Montana Fair
Fallon County Fair
Eastern Montana Fair
Dawson County Fair
Charlton County Fair
Ravalli County Fair

Sioux had a Horse Show Fair
and was under the supervision of
reported a very successful season
for 1970.

A total of 1,467 licenses were issued to owners
track licenses and 1,467 licenses were issued
\$6,010.00. Before such permits were issued
screamed. Eight permits were issued for
regulations and two permits were issued for
charitable and one specifically (which was not)



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of the
MONTANA HORSE RACING COMMISSION

TO HIS EXCELLENCY, FORREST ANDERSON,
GOVERNOR OF MONTANA:

The Montana Horse Racing Commission respectfully wishes to transmit the following account of its' stewardship for the calendar year, January 1, 1969 through December 31, 1969, in accordance with section 62-504, Chapter 196, Laws of Montana 1965.

The 1969 Racing Season was comprised of sixty-four (64) racing days and resulted in a total mutuel handle of \$1,484,762.00, representing an increase of 1.6% over the year 1968. The following racing dates were granted and track licenses issued by the Commission for the 1969 Racing Season:

Cow Capital Turf Club, Miles City	May 10, 11, 17, 18
North Central Racing Assoc., Fort Benton	June 8, 15, 22, 29,
	July 4, 5, 6
Old Fashioned Fourth, Sidney	July 4, 5
Capital City Horse Racing Assoc., Helena	July 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13
Marias Fair, Shelby	July 17, 18, 19, 20
Central Montana Fair, Lewistown	July 23, 24, 25
State Fair, Great Falls	July 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31
	August 1, 2
Midland Empire State Fair, Billings	August 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10
Northeast Montana Fair, Glasgow	August 7, 8, 9, 10
Rosebud County Fair, Forsyth	August 12, 13, 14
Northwest Montana Fair, Kalispell	August 14, 15, 16, 17
Fallon County Fair, Baker	August 16, 17
Western Montana Fair, Missoula	August 20, 21, 22, 23
Dawson County Fair, Glendive	August 23, 24
Chouteau County Fair, Fort Benton	August 24
Ravalli County Fair, Hamilton	August 28, 29, 30

Sidney had a Mon-Dak Old Fashioned Fourth of July celebration with a two day race meet under the supervision of the Montana Horse Racing Commission and reported a very successful meet. They have again applied for the two days for 1970.

A total of 1347 licenses were issued to persons connected with racing, 16 track licenses and 3 stable names were registered, yielding a total of \$6,010.00. Before such persons were issued a license, they were thoroughly screened. Eight persons were fined for violation of the law or rules and regulations and two persons were denied a license due to undesirable character and one apprentice jockey was denied a license due to underage.

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The 1939 Racing Season was comprised of sixty-four (64) racing days and resulted in a total mutual handle of \$1,141,705.00, representing an increase of 1.6% over the year 1938. The following racing dates were granted and track licenses issued by the Commission for the 1939 racing season:

May 10, 11, 12, 13	Cow Capital Trail Club, Miles City
June 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31	North Central Racing Assoc., Fort Benton
July 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31	Old fashioned Fourth, Sidney
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The Following is a summary of registration and licenses issued:

Owner	220	\$ 1100.00
Trainers	74	370.00
Owner-Trainer	191	1910.00
Jockeys	65	325.00
Jockey Agents	8	80.00
Apprentice Jockeys	11	55.00
Officials	101	519.00
Occupational	675	1617.00
Reissue	2	4.00
Track	16	None
Registration of Stables	3	<u>30.00</u>

Total License and Registration Fees \$6010.00

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During the past year racing passed through several turbulent periods. New appointments were made in January and February. It was at this time that the House and Senate passed resolutions instructing the Racing Commission to more effectively enforce the rule and regulations and comply with the law. The Racing Commission has diligently attempted to carry out those instructions.

Security:

The Commission has encouraged forceful and honest control of racing for the protection of the public. Licenses have been denied and the privilege to attend race meetings have been denied to those individuals, who, by their past conduct, pose a continuing threat to the integrity of racing. Local law enforcement officials have been helpful and will hopefully continue to take an active part in protecting the honesty of horse racing and pari-mutuel wagering.

Equipment:

The Commission encountered serious problems involving the mechanical reliability and accuracy of some totalizator equipment as well as substantial inaccuracy in pay-off calculations, posted odds, and past performance charts. The Commission feels it is necessary to establish more effective rules to control pari-mutuel operations and past performance charts.

Drugs:

There were 32 positive polyethylene glycol tests in 1969. This being an unusually high number, the Commission utilized consent searches, polygraph tests and formal hearings to investigate the various cases. We believe this procedure to be the fairest and most effective method available. Polyethylene glycol is not a stimulant, depressant or analgesic and is questionably a masking agent. Polyethylene glycol is a mixing and preservative agent and is used in numerous feeds. The rules may need to be changed to cope with this problem.

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Owner	220	\$ 1100.00
Trainers	75	3750.00
Owner-Trainer	191	1910.00
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Apprentice Jockeys	11	55.00
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The Commission is doing its utmost to keep racing honest and to improve conditions for the people who breed and race horses, the people who sponsor and manage race meets and the public who attends race meets.

The National Association of State Racing Commissioners has been invaluable to the Montana Racing Commission. With their help it has been possible to maintain uniform enforcement. They also provide information on the latest in medications and the methods of testing for them. The N.A.S.R.C. keeps a complete record of the violations in the United States, Canada and Mexico, and the Commission is notified weekly of any infractions of the rules. They also make available to us the names of qualified stewards and officials that are available.

We present herewith for your examination the Annual Pari-Mutuel Report, Statement of Financial Position, Results of Financial Operations, and Cash Summary for the calendar year ended December 31, 1969. Also enclosed is a comparative statistics report for the years 1966 through 1969.

The Commission acknowledges with gratitude the assistance and cooperation of the Attorney General, the State Auditor, the State Treasurer, the Montana Veterinary Medical Association, the Livestock Sanitary Board, the Livestock Commission and other Public Officials, as well as various Racing Persons, the Press and the Public. This continued fine cooperation has lightened our task a great deal in our endeavor to conduct good racing in the State of Montana and for the People of Montana.

It is with extreme pleasure that we, the members of the Commission, extend our most sincere thanks and appreciation to His Excellency Governor Forrest Anderson for his kind and patient cooperation and help.

Respectfully submitted,

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PARI-MUTUEL REPORT 1969

Miles City	4	33,627.00	*8,406.75	6,725.40	336.27	599.00	26,178.00	77.85
Fort Benton	7	82,978.00	11,854.00	16,568.00	829.58	841.00	65,489.00	78.92
Helena	6	179,035.00	29,839.17	35,807.00	1790.35	2624.69	140,034.40	78.22
Sidney	2	11,696.00	5,848.00	2,338.80	116.96	89.80	9,267.40	79.23
Shelby	4	71,875.00	17,968.75	14,375.00	718.75	953.60	56,744.90	78.95
Lewistown	3	13,566.00	4,522.00	2,713.20	135.66	209.80	10,646.80	78.48
Great Falls	8	538,015.00	67,251.88	107,603.00	5380.15	6130.20	424,281.80	78.86
Billings	7	329,045.00	47,006.43	65,811.00	3290.45	3607.30	259,626.70	78.94
Glasgow	4	19,694.00	4,923.50	3,938.80	196.94	151.65	15,728.07	79.86
Forsyth	3	7,018.00	2,339.33	1,403.60	70.15	83.40	5,531.00	78.81
Kalispell	4	63,021.00	15,755.25	12,604.20	630.21	857.50	49,680.40	78.83
Baker	2	5,159.00	2,579.50	916.50	51.59	52.60	4,279.60	82.93
Missoula	4	87,670.00	21,917.50	17,534.00	876.70	1242.10	69,031.80	78.74
Glendive	2	7,056.00	3,528.00	1,411.20	70.60	105.80	5,544.40	78.58
F.B. Fair	1	6,514.00	6,514.00	1,302.80	65.14	98.60	5,090.20	78.29
Hamilton	3	28,793.00	9,597.67	5,758.60	287.93	382.30	22,669.00	78.79
TOTAL		641,484,762.00	23,199.41	26,838.70	14847.43	18029.84	1,169,377.00	78.79

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38,793.00	2,527.67	2,728.60	287.93	302.30	22,669.00	18.78	Hamilton	3
6,211.00	6,211.00	1,302.80	62.11	98.60	2,090.20	70.22	T. B. Fair	1
7,026.00	3,228.00	1,111.20	10.20	112.80	2,211.10	78.22	Glendive	2
87,670.00	21,217.20	17,231.00	876.70	1211.70	66,037.80	76.72	Mossula	11
2,122.00	2,279.20	91.20	21.22	22.60	1,273.60	82.91	Baker	2
63,021.00	12,722.22	12,601.20	670.21	827.20	16,660.10	71.81	Kalispell	11
7,018.00	2,332.33	1,103.60	70.12	83.40	2,271.00	78.81	Fortyeth	3
12,691.00	1,223.20	3,238.20	122.21	127.62	12,728.07	78.62	Glasgow	11
329,012.00	17,006.13	62,811.00	3290.12	3007.30	229,626.70	78.24	Billings	7
236,012.00	67,221.88107	263.00	2260.12	2110.20	126,281.80	78.14	Great Falls	8
13,266.00	1,222.00	2,713.20	132.66	202.20	10,616.80	74.12	Lewistown	3
71,872.00	17,208.72	11,732.00	718.72	223.20	22,111.80	70.27	Shelby	11
11,666.00	2,818.00	2,338.80	216.22	22.80	2,267.10	70.12	Sidney	2
179,032.00	29,832.17	32,807.00	1790.32	2221.20	110,031.10	72.72	Helena	6
82,278.00	11,821.00	16,268.00	822.28	811.00	62,118.00	78.72	Fort Benton	7
33,627.00	2,102.72	6,722.10	336.27	222.00	22,778.00	77.24	Missoula City	11

TOTAL

611,181,762.00 23,722.11 26,838.70 1181.74 18022.81 1,169,377.00 12.72

MONTANA HORSE RACING COMMISSION
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
December 31, 1969

ASSETS

Cash in Bank	\$ 9,618.82
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LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable	
Office Supplies	\$ 55.25

UNENCUMBERED BALANCE

Balance December 31, 1969	\$ <u>9,563.57</u>
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<u>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND UNENCUMBERED BALANCE</u>	\$ 9,618.82
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MONTANA HORSE RACING COMMISSION

RESULTS OF FINANCIAL OPERATIONS

January 1, 1969 thru December 31, 1969

INCOME EARNED:

Mutuel Percentage	\$ 14,847.43
Underpayments	691.80
License Fees	6,034.00
Registration of Stable Names	30.00
Fines	625.00
Totalizer Company Fees	75.00
Rule Books	<u>55.00</u>

Total Income	22,358.23
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Add: Budget Amendment	<u>3,985.00</u>
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TOTAL EARNED INCOME	\$ 26,343.23
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EXPENSES:

Employees Salaries	\$ 7,215.60
Employers Payroll Costs	411.34
Communications	1,211.00
Travel	7,208.05
Office Supplies and Printing	619.95
Special Fees	415.00
Contract Services	6,629.86
Equipment	736.54
Equipment Repairs	39.00
Refunds	<u>25.00</u>

Total Expenses	\$ 24,511.34
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NET INCOME FOR YEAR	\$ 1,831.89
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MONTANA HORSE RACING COMMISSION

CASH SUMMARY

January 1, 1969 thru December 31, 1969

CASH BALANCE - January 1, 1969

\$ 11,771.93

Cash Receipts:

Mutuel Percentage	\$ 14,847.43
Underpayments	691.80
License Fees	6,034.00
Registration of Stable Names	30.00
Fines	625.00
Totalizer Company Fee	75.00
Rule Books	<u>55.00</u>

Total Receipts

22,358.23

TOTAL CASH

\$ 34,130.16

Cash Disbursements:

Employees Salaries	\$ 7,215.60
Employers Payroll Costs	411.34
Communication	1,211.00
Travel	7,208.05
Office Supplies and Printing	619.95
Special Fees	415.00
Contract Services	6,629.86
Equipment	736.54
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Total Cash Disbursements

\$ 24,511.34

CASH BALANCE - December 31, 1969

\$ 9,618.82

MONTANA HORSE RACING COMMISSION

CASH SUMMARY

January 1, 1969 thru December 31, 1969

CASH BALANCE - January 1, 1969

\$ 11,777.93

Cash Receipts:

Mutual Percentage
Underpayments
License Fees
Registration of Stable Names
Fines
Totalizer Company Fee
Rule Books

\$ 14,847.43
687.00
6,031.00
30.00
625.00
75.00
55.00

Total Receipts

\$ 22,358.57

TOTAL CASH

\$ 34,136.50

Cash Disbursements:

Employees Salaries
Employees Payroll Costs
Communication
Travel
Office Supplies and Printing
Special Fees
Contract Services
Equipment
Equipment Repairs
Refunds

\$ 7,215.60
1,103.36
7,211.00
7,208.05
652.95
415.00
6,629.16
778.00
85.00
2.00

Total Cash Disbursements

\$ 34,211.30

CASH BALANCE - December 31, 1969

\$ 9,629.25

MONTANA HORSE RACING COMMISSION

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS

1966 through 1969

	1966	1967	1968	1969
Days of Racing	62	60	62	64
Attendance	105,682	119,762	126,530	164,400
Pari-Mutuel Handle	\$ 1,214,927.00	\$ 1,262,970.00	\$ 1,461,287.00	\$ 1,484,762.00
Daily Average Handle	19,595.60	21,049.50	23,569.14	23,199.41
Revenue to Commission	3,700.00	12,629.70	14,612.87	14,847.43
Commission to Track	243,405.50	239,518.50	275,337.75	296,838.70
Breakage to Track	14,629.10	15,303.03	16,771.55	18,029.84
Breakage Percentage	1.20%	1.21%	1.15%	1.21%
Return to Public	\$ 955,002.50	\$ 994,204.55	\$ 1,149,386.65	\$ 1,169,377.00
Percentage to Public	78.61%	78.72%	78.66%	78.79%
Purses Paid Horsemen	\$ 129,118.95	\$ 125,291.00	\$ 139,559.95	\$ 170,031.97
Purses Handle Percentage	10.63%	9.92%	9.55%	11.45%
Contributed by Horsemen	\$ 10,350.00	\$ 10,604.50	\$ 25,224.20	\$ 24,794.73

MONTANA HORSE RACING COMMISSION

COMPTON ELECTRONICS

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